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FM AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 8222

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FOR FBO FROM SMITH

1. SMITH ADVISED HE MAY BE EVACUATED IF SITUATION
DETERIORATES FURTHER AND EMBASSY CONTINUES REDUCTION
OF PERSONNEL NOT ABSOLUTELY ESSENTIAL TO OPERATION OF
EMBASSY. EVACUATION, SHOULD IT BE NECESSARY, WOULD BE
TO ATHENS WITH RETURN WHEN CONDITIONS IMPROVE. FBO
GUIDELINES IN EVENT OF THIS EVACUATION REQUESTED BY TELEGRAM
SOONEST.

2. PRESENT SITE CONDITIONS: DEMOLITION CREW DEPARTED OF
OWN VOLITION JANUARY 19 PLANNING TO RETURN WHEN CONDITIONS
IMPROVE. NO SUBSTANTIAL WORK IN PROGRESS. SECURITY OF
SITE SAME AS REPORTED IN NOVEMBER 18 OM AND OCTOBER
MONTHLY REPORT. SEHNAOUI OUT OF COUNTRY AND EXPECTED BACK
WHEN AIRPORT REOPENS. DECOTRA ENGINEER REDDAWAY ALSO
OUT OF COUNTRY. HIS RETURN WAS ALSO EXPECTED BUT DO NOT
KNOW CURRENT STATUS.

3. REPORT RECEIVED FROM STOOKS OF ARTHUR ANDERSEN SABA
THAT HE UNABLE RETURN TO BEIRUT TO WORK ON AUDIT AT PRESENT

TIME.

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